

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:) Group Art Unit:
Michael Fitzpatrick)
Serial No.:) Examiner:
Filed: 12-13-2001)
For: Food Products Containing)
Whole Chia Seed or a Gluten-free) Uniondale, New York
Agglutinant Derived Therefrom)
and Methods of Making Same)



INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Honorable Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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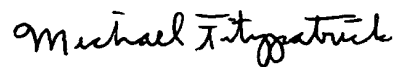
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Respectfully submitted,

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